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Keesler claims Hennessy Award

81st Force Support Squadron

Keesler is the winner of the John L. Hennessy Award as the top food service operation in the Air Force in the multiple facility category.

It's the sixth time Keesler has won the Hennessy Award, which recognizes excellence based on the entire scope of a base's food service program.

A four-member evaluation team representing the Air Force Services Agency and the food service industry judged Keesler's three dining facilities in February. The theme for the inspection was, "Feed Them Right...Fit to Fight,' focusing on building a mentally and physically strong Air Force through nutrition.

"Our promise has always been to meet, if not exceed, our customers' expectations in providing the best service possible," said Lt. Col. Richard Cole, 81st Force Support Squadron commander. "The prevailing theme by (nonprior service and temporary duty) students is, 'we feel like we are eating home cooking and the staff always treats us with love and respect.' The recurring theme by our dining facility staff members is 'we love our students — they are our future leaders and protectors of our nation who we are proud and honored to serve."

The dining facilities serve about 2 million meals annually — about 6,500 a day.

The three facilities Azalea, Live Oak, and Magnolia — offer daily snack specials, world cuisine lunches, "grab-and-go" meals, signature sandwiches and vegetarian items.



Photo by Kemberly Groue

From left, Airman Basic Bernard Links, 332nd Training Squadron; Airman 1st Class David Gross, 336th TRS; and Airman Basic Robert Oberle, 338th TRS, are served lunch by Carrie **Keeton at the Azalea Dining Facility.**

Azalea opened in 2001 in the Triangle Area for non-prior service students and can feed 1,500 people per meal. The facility houses the flight kitchen which prepares more than 250 meals per month and the central preparation kitchen where over 350,000 pounds of produce and 125,000 servings of various meat items are processed and prepared annually.

Magnolia opened in 1995 and hosts the monthly birthday celebrations for junior enlisted people and serves a midnight meal Monday-Friday. This facility can serve 1,500 customers per meal.

Live Oak opened in 1986 and has a rated capacity of 800 customers per meal. It supports permanent party personnel, temporary duty personnel and nonprior service personnel attending classes on base. The facility also serves personnel of the 403rd Wing and is the training facility for the wing during unit training assembly weekends.

Keesler's dining facilities play a vital role within the Keesler community providing essential mission support on a daily basis as well as special community events.

In 2009, Keesler fed athletes from seven countries during the 5th Annual Conseil International Du Sport Militaire Women's Soccer Championship; served over 1,500 athletes, coaches and

volunteers during Mississippi Special Olympics and provided more than 1,200 flight and ground support meals during the Keesler Thunder on the Bay Air Show.

Food service has an active recognition program with monthly facility, customer service and employee awards.

Menus are published weekly in the Keesler News, featured on a daily menu hotline at 377-3463 and at the Services Web site, www.keeslerservices.us.

Customers can rate dining facilities by completing comment cards at the cashier's station or by logging on to the Services Web site and clicking on the interactive customer evaluation icon.

COMMENTARY

What books are on your nightstand?

By Brig. Gen. Dan Wyman

81st Medical Group commander Knowledge is power!

To me, the personal growth and improvement that comes through gaining knowledge provides a person greater power over his/her own future. You can gain knowledge through a variety of formal and informal educational avenues. One of my favorite informal avenues is my personal reading. How about you? What books have you read recently? What books sit on your nightstand?

There are a variety of ways to categorize personal reading; here's one approach.

First, there are books, articles and journals that pertain to your profession, your career field, your Air Force Specialty Code. Topics can be general ... medicine, aviation, communication, civil engineering, personnel management ... or they can be very specific ... pediatric cardiology, advanced glass cockpits, avatar development, green construction materials.

Second, there's a very impressive collection of books about our military and our Air Force. There are books about general military history, biographies of leaders, stories about weapon systems and development programs and reviews of previous engagements/battles. The Chief of Staff of the Air Force's recommended reading list is a great place to start.

The next category is history; if we fail to learn from our history we are doomed to repeat it. There's military history, ancient history, modern history, art history, religious history ... every library and book store has shelves full of history books.

My fourth category is roughly labeled "philosophy," those books and periodicals that stretch your mind. In this category I place those texts on theory, new concepts, futurism and cutting-edge research. We all need to get outside of our comfort zone every now and then and try to view the world from a completely different viewpoint.

My next category, "how to" books, is much more concrete ... how to build a deck, how to fry a turkey, how to fly fish, how to rebuild an engine or how to sail. While the previous category expands your mind, this category expands your talents.

My final category is "pleasure reading" ... what it is you really like to read, makes you feel good and maybe even takes you to a different place and time. A really good book is like a really good movie ... when I close the book or the movie credits

start to roll, I have to take a second to reorient myself to where I am!

My way of categorizing books isn't definitive, fully comprehensive and may not be the best way to break down a reading program but it's worked for me and might work for you. My logic is (1) knowledge is power...personal growth and (2) reading builds knowledge.

Here are some of books I've recently read or am currently reading:

Philosophy — "What the Dog Saw: And Other Adventures" by Malcolm Gladwell. This collection of short stories focuses on different ways of viewing current issues. I actually read several of Mr. Gladwell's books — "Outliers", "Tipping Point" and "Blink" — and found them to be enlightening and intriguing;

History — Two four-books series by Conn Iggulden, one on Genghis Khan and one on Julius Caesar. The books are fictional stories written about the lives of these two men based on fact. Each is a very informative, easy read.

Profession — "Why Hospitals Should Fly" by John Nance discusses employing successful aviation safety processes and tools within the medical community to reduce medical errors and improve patient safety. "The Checklist Manifesto" by surgeon Atul Gawande documents the incredible successes of medical checklists in improving patient care in hospitals around the world.

Military — "Boyd, the Fighter Pilot Who Changed the Art of War" by Robert Coram and "Not a Good Day to Die" by Sean Naylor from the Chief of Staff of the Air Force's reading list describe Air Force and Department of Defense military tactics to doctrine.

Pleasure — "Rogue Forces" by Dale Brown is sitting on my table at home; I haven't started it yet. I love action/suspense novels if they don't incorporate too much science fiction. Dale Brown, Clive Cussler, Michael Crichton, and WEB Griffin are others I enjoy.

What books have you read lately? What books are on your nightstand? If any of the above titles strike your fancy, stop by and I'll give you my copy. Or let me know what great book you've recently read so I can add another to my collection. I know our time is very limited but knowledge is power — the power to make your life, our Air Force, our nation better — and reading builds knowledge!

ACTION LINE — 377-4357

By Brig. Gen. Ian Dickinson

81st Training Wing commander

You're encouraged to work concerns through your chain of command or contact an appropriate helping agent. For unresolved issues, call the commander's action line. Suggestions to help make this a more valuable and useful tool are welcome.

Call the commander's action line, 377-4357; write to Commander's Action Line, 81st TRW/PA, Keesler AFB, MS 39534-2603; e-mail 81st TRW Commander's Action Line (on-base) or commanders.line@keesler.af.mil (off-base).

You can also reach me through Keesler Commander's Corner, www.intelink.gov/blogs/_keeslercorner.

CONCERN — The men's shower room at Blake Fitness Center is dirty, with black mold in the grout around the edges of the wall. Various articles are left on the locker room floor and in the shower room for days. There was no seating provided in the men's dressing room after recent tile work was completed. Heavy rubber mats in the shower room block the flow of shower water to the drain. After tile work was done, broken, filthy lockers were reinstalled. Benches were removed from the racquetball area, and courts were locked for months because a ceiling tile had been knocked loose from its holding bracket. A perfectly good racquetball court with new flooring is used as a stretching room. When racquetball courts are on lock down, there's no provision to use the existing courts for challenge courts. The reservation system results in only two players occupying one court on occasion when that court could be challenged as a doubles court, or even cutthroat court.

The basketball and racquetball court floors and are being harmed by street shoes, military boots and other inappropriate footwear. I've seen the basketball and racquetball courts in extremely dirty conditions. These extremely quick sports can result in serious injuries if floors aren't clean. Military personnel and dependents deserve better.

RESPONSE — Thanks for your concerns.

A site visit confirmed the men's shower room floor needed more thorough cleaning and a floor crew is taking action.

A full-time custodian works on weekdays to supplement cleaning by the primary contractor. The custodian and staff have been briefed to regularly check for and discard items left in lockers or on the floor. A floor supervisor makes hourly inspections at Blake and picks up items and litter throughout the facility and outside of the building.

New benches should alleviate the seating problem in the racquetball area., and the rubber mats inside the shower room were removed and stored, since non-slip tile was installed. Lockers have been cleaned and broken pieces removed.

We continue to work with CSC for speedy ceiling repairs. Courts are closed as required due to safety and liability concerns.

Air Force instructions and Five-Star Fitness Award criteria require a designated stretching area, and the racquetball court currently is our only option. Players can call or stop by to make court reservations. Three courts are designated for challenge play from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

We continue to enforce policies about appropriate shoes posted at the entrance of the courts. All fitness center floors are cleaned daily. To supplement the contractor, the fitness center has implemented a checklist for on-duty staff or custodians to follow. The basketball and racquetball court floors are mopped at 4 and 9 a.m. and 2 and 10 p.m., or as soon as possible when courts are in use. We'll take extra care during routine cleaning to remove scuff marks and other nasty items, such as chewing tobacco, from surfaces in the facility.

We appreciate the time you took to address these concerns. With customer feedback and efforts by all patrons to take personal care of our facilities, we'll continue to improve our fitness centers.

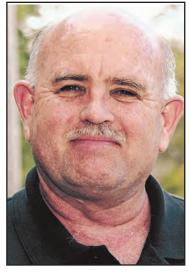


DRAGON ON THE STREET

By Kemberly Groue

Keesler News photojournalist

What is your favorite professional sport to watch on TV or in person?



"NFL football, because we're close to New understand it the most." Orleans."

Joseph McCormick, 336th Training Squadron



"Basketball, because I Airman **Basic**

335th Zelasko, student, **Training Squadron**



"Football, because I played football in high school, college and Air Josie Force service football in Europe."

> Richard Browne, 81st **Communications Squadron**

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TRAINING AND EDUCATION

Cyber warrior earns military service award

By Susan Griggs

Keesler News editor

Tech. Sgt. Alberto Trujillo is the winner of the 2010 League of United Latin American Citizens Excellence in Military Service Award for Air Education and Training Command.

A New Jersey native, Sergeant Trujillo has been at Keesler for 4½ years and serves as noncommissioned officer in charge of the qualifications training flight support element in the 81st Training Support Squadron.

"I am truly honored to be honored with such a prestigious award and to take part in something that incorporates the beautiful culture of Latin heritage," said Sergeant Trujillo. "The unique diversity of our military family comes together to form an awesome unity. This award is great motivation to press forward with my blessed Air Force life and the wonderful people in it. I'm so thankful for their support."

He's been deployed four times during his 11-year Air Force career, most recently to Bagram Air Base, Afghanistan, where he was the NCO in charge of communication systems support during Combined Joint Special Operations Task Force-Afghanistan.

While deployed, Sergeant Trujillo managed eight multiclassification networks over four regions within the area of responsibility, ensuring 800 successful Operation Iraqi Freedom and Enduring Freedom combat missions. He facilitated communications support to 25 detachments, two Marine Corps special operations companies, and four special operations forces battalions. The resulting operations terminated 1,100 enemy fighters, including



Sergeant Trujillo

high-level Taliban commanders and severely disrupted enemy operations.

Sergeant Trujillo managed forward operating base communication outages, resolved 1,200 service tickets and installed 18,000 feet of network cable among 10 buildings. His work propelled the wartime intelligence "picture" 75 percent faster to 2,100 network users and battle managers.

Sergeant Trujillo maintained a multi-remote piloted aircraft surveillance system and managed its video feeds, enabling 24/7 target imagery for 210 combat missions. He managed 498 multi-network accounts and administrated user profiles and data storage, fortifying command and control operations for 510 sorties yearly.

A cyber transport craftsman, Sergeant Trujillo streamlined processes at Keesler for the largest career field conversion in Air Force history, affecting training for 42,000 Airmen. He created a training database for 15 new Air Force career fields, incorporating and documenting 16,010 new training requirements.

Command post instructor wins AETC honor

By Staff Sgt. Kimberly Moore

Keesler Public Affairs

Air Education and Training Command has named Tech Sgt. Michael Hall its command post instructor of the year.

Sergeant Hall is an instructor with the 334th Training Squadron and teaches nuclear command and control training manager courses at Offutt Air Force Base, Neb.

The 334th TRS began training at Offutt last August. Offutt was deemed the most beneficial location for the courses because of access to U.S. Strategic Command's nuclear platforms and mission expertise.

The 81st Training Wing vice commander, Col. Christopher Valle said, "Sergeant Hall's natural leadership ability has led the 334th Training Squadron ... in the creation of three new nuclear classes. He is a fully-qualified instructor and instructor supervisor leading a geographically-separated unit."

Sergeant Hall led a team of five managing \$135,000 of equipment and was quoted by STRATCOM leadership as "the epitome of an AETC Detachment."

Sergeant Hall taught 10 classes equaling 400 class hours and produced 98 qualified training managers for nine major commands.

Colonel Valle said,
"Sergeant Hall has
demonstrated the highest
measure of dedication,
expertise and professionalism — his accomplishments are without a doubt
worthy of this award."

Sergeant Hall now competes at Air Force level.

Spectrum analyzer operations course begins today

By Tech. Sgt. Greg Washburn

Keesler Public Affairs

The new spectrum analyzer operations course in the 333rd Training Squadron begins today and continues through April 21, according to Master Sgt. Mathew Cook, instructor.

The spectrum operations technician analyzes user requirements and requests frequencies to support ground, air, and space systems and coordinates radio, radar, land and other electromagnetic radiating or receiving requirements, according to the Air Force Web site.

"There's a limited amount of spectrum available for use, and everybody wants some," Sergeant Cook explained.

The course teaches radio direction finding techniques for use by coalition forces in theater and peacetime operations at the home station. These techniques equip the spectrum manager to isolate and identify radio interference which can negatively impact mission operations. When aircraft fly, they are in contact with ground and other air platforms through several different radio links. These links are passing voice communications, and a variety of different types of data including location and position information,

TETE

Photo by Kemberly Groue

From left, Sergeant Cook introduces Master Sgts. Scott Leety and Greg Buennemeyer to the FSH6 spectrum analyzer that will be used in the course that begins today in McClelland Hall. The equipment measures spectrum occupancy and direction finding.

target information, and even real-time video imagery. Management of the radio frequency spectrum is essential to the success of today's wireless, and networked, coalition force.

An initial-skills follow-on course, the spectrum operations course is specifically for joint service members in the rank of staff sergeant and above for Air Force students, and E-6 and above for other service students.

The course will enable new frequency managers, or "freqs," to not only understand the complex frequency environment, but provides hand-on training to analyze the electromagnetic environment and work towards eliminating interference issues, said Sergeant Cook. Additionally, the new course satisfies the joint urgent operational needs statement suggesting that frequency managers in the field perform basic interference mitigation with radio direction finding practices without having to bring in outside agencies to track the source, Sergeant Cook noted.

The spectrum operations career field has become more mainstream due to increased interest and concern for wireless communications devices, radio frequency spectrum occupancy and the increase in interference issues of both military and civilian communication systems.

Common examples of civilian wireless technology includes the dramatic increase in wireless home networking and broadband smart phones like the BlackBerry, Droid, or iPhone.

In today's world, as more and more military and civilian technology goes wireless, the importance of frequency management is increasing rapidly, Sergeant Cook pointed out. It's a small career field, with only 103 frequency managers currently in the Air Force and 132 authorizations.

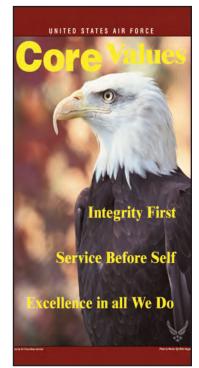
Senior leaders from all military branches are familiar with the demands upon the frequency spectrum. Recently the Air Force chief of staff directed a FY10 Air Force Lessons Learned with spectrum management as a core focus area, and how the Air Force can contribute in this area to the joint and coalition communities.

Generals view renovation

Brig. Gen. Ian Dickinson, left, 81st Training Wing commander, presents a wing coin to Lt. Gen. Richard Newton III, right, at Wolfe Hall April 6 as Army Maj. Gen. Keith Thurgood looks on. General Newton is president of the board of directors for the Defense Commissary Agency, and General Thurgood is the commanding officer for the Army and Air Force Exchange Service. Generals Newton and Thurgood attended a ribbon-cutting ceremony for a renovated second floor hallway in Wolfe Hall while at Keesler to participate in the opening of new base exchange and commissary shopping complex. The renovation updated a circa-1976 training area for the 335th Training Squadron.

Photo by Kemberly Groue





TRAINING AND EDUCATION NOTES

Education briefings

Officer Training School
— 10 a.m. Tuesday, Room
224, Sablich Center.

ROTC — 10 a.m. April 22, Room 224, Sablich Center.

Chiefs scholarship

The Keesler Chiefs Group offers a \$200 scholarship for airmen basic through technical sergeants pursuing their first Community College of the Air Force degree.

Along with the application, an essay is required on "The Value of Education to Air Force Enlisted Personnel."

Applications are due to Chief Master Sgt. Damian Orslene by Tuesday.

For more information, call Chief Orslene, 377-0403, or e-mail damian.orslene@us.af.mil.

Nursing assistant class

Twelve spouses of activeduty Air Force members at Keesler will be able to attend a certified nursing assistant program at Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College's Jeff Davis Campus through a grant from the Air Force Aid Society.

The class is 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays, May 10-June 23, with two Saturday clinical experience sessions required.

Application is open to nonmilitary spouses of activeduty Air Force members or nearby Air Force detachments. Spouses of activated Guard or Reserve members must show orders indicating active-duty status through June 23.

Applicants bring the completed form with their identification card to Room 110, Sablich Center, by Tuesday. The 12 accepted applicants must have a background check from Biloxi Regional Medical Center, but with the receipt, the \$50 fee will be reimbursed.

For more information and application forms, call Lana Smith, 376-8727.

National Prayer Event

Chief Master Sgt. Lonnie Slater, 81st Training Wing command chief, delivers a message titled, "The Military

Academic aces





Staff Sgts. Jesse Chattin, left, and Hadley Fabert have completed technical training in the 81st Training Group with perfect scores. Sergeant Chattin, who graduated April 5 from the cyber suretycourse in the 336th Training Squadron, remains at Keesler for two weeks of Security + training. He's a member of the Indiana Air National Guard. Sergeant Fabert graduated Monday from the personnel apprentice course in the 335th TRS. He's a member of the Illinois National Guard.

and the Importance of the Freedom of Religion at the National Prayer Event, 6-7 p.m. April 22 at the Triangle Chapel.

The event is sponsored by the 81st Training Group chaplains and nonprior service and is open to all members of the Keesler community.

For more information, call Chaplain (Capt.) Kenya Thomas, 377-2331.

Drill downs, parades

Drill downs — 8 a.m. Friday and Oct. 15; 7 a.m. June 11 and Aug. 20.

Parades — 6 p.m. July 22 and Sept. 16.

For more information on drill downs, call Staff Sgt. Julie Hammond, 377-2737. For more information on parades, call Staff Sgt. Gregory Washington, 377-9527.

81st TRG dining out

The 81st Training Group dining-out is April 30 at the Mississippi Coast Coliseum Convention Center in Biloxi.

Convention Center in Biloxi.

Details such as the ticket price are still being finalized,

but the social hour begins at 6

p.m. with the formal event starting at 7. Chicken or vegetarian menus will be offered.

For more information, call your squadron representative.

USM summer term

New students who plan to attend the University of Southern Mississippi during the summer term that begins June 1 should contact the USM-Keesler office now for admission guidelines.

Registration is 2-6 p.m. May 26 at the Long Beach campus.

Current students register through SOAR.

For more information, call Ashley Christian, 376-8479, or visit the USM-Keesler office, Room 219, Sablich Center.

Swan 38 scholarship

Deadline to apply for the Hurricane Hunters Swan 38 \$1,000 scholarship is May 31.

The competition is open to active-duty and retired 403rd Wing members and their dependents.

For applications, log on to www.hurricanehunters.com

NEWS AND FEATURES

Got a bright IDEA?

Earn prizes for program submissions

By Susan Griggs

Keesler News editor

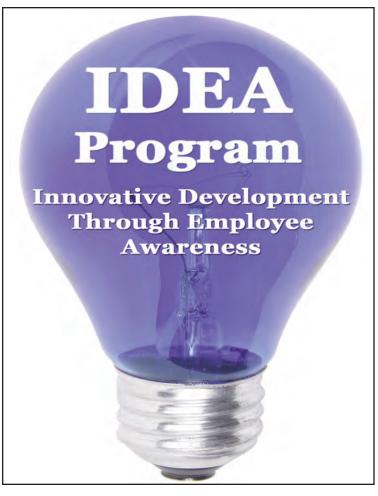
Today marks the beginning of Keesler's month-long IDEA campaign.

The Innovative Development through Employee Awareness program encourages innovative, creative thinking by both military and Department of Defense civilian personnel. The program is designed to recognize and reward individuals whose suggestions improve the efficiency, economy, and effectiveness of Air Force, Department of Defense, and federal government operations. Submitters of an approved idea can be rewarded with a monetary or non-monetary award.

Deatrice Jimerson, Keesler's IDEA program manager, said that during the campaign, people who submit an eligible idea in accordance with Air Force Instruction 38-401, Chapter 2, are entered into a non-monetary drawing. An IDEA promotion Apple IPOD or a Garmin GPS navigation system are the prizes in two separate drawings. The first 15 people to submit an idea receive an IDEA duffle bag.

Ideas are submitted and evaluated through the IDEA Program Data System at https://ipds.randolph.af.mil. The Web-based application provides Air Force users 24/7 access from any military desktop computer with a common access card.

"All DOD military, civilian employees and contract personnel at Keesler may submit an idea and be entered into the nonmonetary drawing," Ms. Jimerson explained. "However, only Air Force military members, Air Force federal civilian employees and Air Force Reserve personnel on active-duty status who are paid from appropriated funds are eligible for a monetary IDEA award."



Monetary awards are calculated on first-year savings only and can be as high as \$10,000 for each approved idea that results in validated tangible savings, and \$200 for approved ideas resulting in intangible benefits.

The IDEA submission must contain present method, proposed method and expected benefits, with a detailed description or solution of how to change the current practice or implement the idea. Ideas must be clearly titled and state the current practice, method, procedure, task, directive or policy. Ideas must include specific recommendations, not just complaints, thoughts, or opinions.

"Each eligible submission is be good for one entry into the non-monetary drawing,"

Ms. Jimerson said. "There's

no limit to the number of submissions. Ideas must be submitted by May 14, and the drawing is held May 20. For group submissions, the primary submitter and co-submitters are entered into the nonmonetary drawing separately."

Keesler's IDEA submitter of the year, who submits an approved idea from Oct. 1, 2009 to Sept. 30, with the most cost savings to the Air Force, wins a 20-inch Sony flat-screen television. If a group entry is the annual winner, only one TV is awarded to the group. In case of a tie, the winner is decided by a drawing.

For more information about Keesler's IDEA campaign and Submitter of the Year award, call 376-8172 or e-mail deatrice.jimerson@us. af.mil.

In the News

More traffic possible this weekend

Due to a large number of events occurring on the Mississippi Gulf Coast this weekend, Keesler personnel should be prepared for possible severe traffic congestion on Highway 90, Irish Hill Drive and Pass Road, along with a possible increase in impaired drivers.

Motorists use the Meadows Avenue Gate as an alternate to the base's White Avenue Gate, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday through Sunday, to reduce traffic in congested areas.

The local media and Keesler's public Web site, www.keesler.af.mil, will provide updated information on traffic diversions or changes in the base's gate hours.

For more information, call the 81st Security Forces Squadron, 377-2808.

Mail on the move

A ribbon-cutting ceremony for the new base postal center is 9:30 a.m. Monday.

The \$3.3 million structure, Building 5750, is located at 201 Meadows Drive and will house the base post office, base information transfer system official mail center and Postal Service Center No. 1 for temporary duty students.

The post office is closed Friday and reopens Monday in the new location. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays.

Air Force Assistance Fund update

As of Monday, Keesler has raised nearly half of its goal of \$77,528 for this year's Air Force Assistance Fund drive

So far, \$37,619.12, or more than 48.5 of the 2010 goal, has been reached.

The campaign continues through Friday.

Clinics close for warrior training

81st Medical Group Public Affairs

Keesler Medical Center clinics are closed for warrior training from noon to 5 p.m. April 22.

Family practice, internal medicine, pediatrics and general surgery clinics each have one doctor available for urgent appointments. For urgent situations, call central appointments at 1-800-700-8603 or report to the emergency room.

Although pharmacy, radiology and laboratory services are open, they'll have reduced staffing, so patients are asked to delay visits during warrior training.

For emergency situations such as shortness of breath, chest or abdominal pain or bleeding with pregnancy, go to the nearest emergency room or call 911 for an ambulance.

Off-limits establishments

Off-limits establishments for military members are Guitars & Cadillacs in D'Iberville; the Blue Note Lounge, Boulevard Nightclub and Henry Beck Park (except during daylight hours or official events) in Biloxi; Bunksmall Apartments and H&H Hideaway in Pascagoula and Toni's Lounge in Moss Point.



Dragons unite for wing run

Chief Master Sgt. Billy Abbott, center, 81st Training Group superintendent, and other Team Keesler members salute during the National Anthem prior to the quarterly wing run on the flightline April 7.

Photo by Kemberly Groue

Personnel Notes

Discrimination hotline

Air Force Personnel Center

The Air Force Discrimination Hotline, 1-888-231-4058, serves all active-duty, Guard, Reserve and civilians.

The 24/7 hotline number ensures all discrimination and sexual harassment concerns are quickly identified and addressed. It streamlines the process by which individuals can speak with an equal opportunity professional at the Air Force Personnel Center to advise and assist with their concerns and issues. Callers can remain anonymous.

Personnel are highly encouraged to use their chain of command or local EO office as a first means to address concerns, but the 24/7 hotline is available to those who don't have immediate access to their local EO office.

Making a move

The 81st Logistics Readiness Squadron's traffic management flight's personal property and passenger transportation elements are in Room 114, Sablich Center, Bldg 0701, Room 114. Customer service hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday.

If you've completed a personally procured move, formerly known as do-it-yourself move, and are ready to submit your documentation for payment processing, the personal property element has mandatory briefings, 3 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays and 8 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday. Bring all items listed on the PPM checklist and certification of expenses form you received when originally counseled. Make a copy of all documents for your records because originals are turned in for payment.

For more information, call 376-8530 or 8532.

Resources for supervisors

A new virtual site for emerging leaders, supervisors and leadership is available to assist supervisors in effectively carrying out their duties.

The Supervisor Resource Center provides easy access to information on mandatory supervisor training, books, exercises, discussion forums, self development, continuous learning and more.

The SRC link, https://afkm.wpafb.af.mil/ASPs/CoP/SRCCoP. asp?Filter=OO-DP-MC-15, incorporates existing Air Force tools in one location.

For more information, call 376-8161/8154.

2010 selection boards

June 7, Sept. 27 — special selection boards.

June 21 — senior noncommissioned officer supplemental.

July 12 — colonel LAF-judge advocate/chaplain/ biomedical services corps; lieutenant colonel and major LAF-judge advocate and chaplain.

Aug. 16 — command screening board.

Sept. 13 — colonel MSC/medical corps/dental corps; lieutenant colonel and major MC/DC.

Oct. 18 — chief master sergeant evaluation.

Nov. 8 — colonel LAF; lieutenant colonel and major BSC.

Dec. 6 — colonel and lieutenant colonel nurse corps; major LAF/nurse corps.

Military personnel contacts

Military personnel section phone numbers:

Customer support — 376-8738.

Career development — 376-8739.

Force management — 376-8740.

Student personnel center — 377-4111.

Testing — 376-4111.



The tax office
is open
in Room 229,
Sablich Center.
Hours are
8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Monday-Thursday
and
8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.
working Fridays.
For appointments
and
more information,
call 376-8144.

Identity theft is a personal nightmare and security risk. Shred bills, statements, letters, old journals, records, outdated application forms and any documents that contain your full name, Social Security number, duty title and job information, credit card, bank account numbers and names of family members. If you see documents being removed from trash cans, call the 81st Security Forces Squadron law enforcement desk, 377-3040.





Protestant congregation plans special unity service

Keesler's Protestant parish plans a unity service, 10:30 a.m. Sunday at Triangle Chapel.

All other Protestant services this Sunday are cancelled to make way for the unity service. Musical selections from the traditional, contemporary and gospel traditions are planned.

A message about Christian leadership and thankfulness will be delivered. All other Protestant worship services that day will be cancelled.

For more information, call Chaplain (Capt.) Charles Seligman, 377-4859.



Reserve band brings jazz to Biloxi

The Air Force Reserve Band's Full Spectrum jazz ensemble performs a free concert, 7 p.m. April 29 at the Saenger Theater in Biloxi.

Doors open at 6:15 p.m. The concert is open to the public, and tickets aren't required.

The 14 full-time professional Air Force musi-

cians from Warner Robins Air Force Base, Ga., plan a program of big band music.

The group has performed throughout the United States and overseas, including Puerto Rico, Russia, Italy, Turkey, Germany, Spain, Macedonia, Panama, Japan and Korea, as well as a variety of major jazz festivals in Florida and Georgia.

Keesler security forces support force protection, security efforts while deployed to Southwest Asia

By Master Sgt. Scott Sturkol

380th Expeditionary Wing Public Affairs

SOUTHWEST ASIA — Senior Airman Christopher Naranjo and Airman 1st Class Brad Jenkins from the 81st Security Forces Squadron at Keesler are deployed as security forces journeymen with the 380th Expeditionary Security Forces Squadron at a non-disclosed base here.

As security forces Airmen, Airmen Naranjo and Jenkins support all security and force protection efforts for a deployed wing of more than 1,900 people and for billions of dollars worth of Air Force equipment and assets.

Security forces Airmen receive a host of specialized training to complete their deployed mission. According to their Air Force job description, these Airmen are



Airman Naranjo

required to be able to lead, manage, supervise and perform force protection duties to include the use of deadly force to protect personnel and resources. They must perform air base defense functions contributing to the force protection mission which includes controlling and securing terrain inside and outside military installations.

A typical day at work for Airmen Naranjo and Jenkins includes wearing the latest in "battle rattle." This can include the latest in protective armor and combat-ready gear. Additionally, he'll carry a loaded M-4 rifle, and possibly an M-9 pistol, in carrying out his deployed duties.

In addition to doing his job of defending personnel, equipment and resources from hostile forces, security forces members like Airmen Naranjo and Jenkins are capable of operating in various field environments and can perform individual and team patrol movements. Those movements include mounted and dismounted patrols, tactical drills, battle procedures, convoys, military operations other than war, antiterrorism duties and other special duties, according to the official job description.

Furthermore, security forces are able to operate communications equipment, vehicles, intrusion detection equipment, crew-served weapons and other special purpose equipment. As first responders, security forces like Airmen Naranjo and Jenkins also apply self-aid

buddy care and other life-saving procedures at accident and disaster scenes. With law enforcement, security forces are capable to apprehend and detain suspects, search persons and property, secures crime and incident scenes, and collect, seize and preserve evidence.

The 380th ESFS is a subunit of the 380th Air Expeditionary Wing. The wing is home to the KC-10 Extender, U-2 Dragon Lady, E-3 Sentry and RQ-4 Global Hawk aircraft. The wing is comprised of four groups and 12 squadrons and the wing's deployed mission includes air refueling, surveillance and reconnaissance in support of overseas contingency operations in Southwest Asia. The 380th AEW supports operations Iraqi Freedom and Enduring Freedom and the Combined Joint Task Force-Horn of Africa.



Airman Jenkins

News tip?

Call the Keesler News, 377-4130, or e-mail keeslernews@us.af.mil

Happy Hour

Motivational speaker with comedic twist gives alcohol abuse prevention message

By Staff Sgt. Kimberly Moore

Keesler Public Affairs

Many would think 8 a.m. is too early to attend a comedy show, but Keesler personnel filled the seats of the Welch Auditorium April 9 for the first of three sessions of "Happy Hour."

Nationally-known comedian Bernie McGrenahan presented the No. 1 ranked alcohol safety and prevention program in America, joking about current events and easing into the downward spiral his life took, bottoming out when his brother committed suicide.

Mr. McGrenahan's presentation, 30 minutes stand-up comedy and 30 minutes inspirational message, touched on suicide, alcoholism and sexual assault.

He ended his show urging the audience to have courage and to look out for fellow Airmen.

The 81st Training Wing commander, Brig. Gen. Ian Dickinson, thanked Mr. McGrenahan for his program and also thanked the audience for attending, joking that they were more attentive to the comedian than they were to him. He ended his comments with a challenge, "Enjoy the comedy, hear the message."

As the audience left the theater, they passed a table sponsored by the sexual assault prevention and response office and alcohol and drug abuse prevention and Tteatment offices, offering free water bottles, pens, pencils, coasters, key rings and informational pamphlets.



Photo by Kemberly Groue

Mr. McGrenahan takes his "Happy Hour" show to college campuses, military bases and high schools all over the country. It's the second consecutive year he's appeared at Keesler during Sexual Assault Awareness Month.



Through Apri, a display of 546 flags in the Triangle represents the 546 Air Force victims that reported being sexually assaulted in fiscal 2009. That figure comes from the Department of Defense report to Congress that was recently released."

Four "target hardening" self-defense classes for women are planned to cover certain situations where risk of sexual assault is high and strategies to avoid those situations, along with tools to deal with potential attacks. Nonprior service Airmen can attend training from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday at Matero Hall, and. April 29, two sessions are planned for permanent party members and civilians — 8-11 a.m. and 1-4 p.m.

For more information about any of the events, call Barry Newman, 377-8635 or email barry.newman@us.af.mil.



Base construction sites are off-limits without authorization.

Protecting Air Force networks is shared challenge

81st Communications Squadron

In an effort to secure Air Force networks against persistent threats from malicious code, such as viruses and Trojans, Air Force Network Operations has directed implementation of measures that enforce existing anti-virus policies, ensuring properly configured antivirus software is loaded on all clients and servers on NIPRNet and SIPRNet.

It's necessary to take this action because computer viruses and other malicious code present a major threat to computer networks and personal information. It only takes on weak link to weaken the security of the entire network.

To combat this threat, the 81st Communications Squadron will remotely check to determine if computers are set to automatically update antivirus software. If your machine isn't configured properly, you'll receive a pop-up warning that states, "This machine is improperly configured to accept antivirus software updates. Please notify the ESD at DSN 945-2900 to open a ticket and resolve this problem as soon as possible.

Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. Norton Schwartz said in his recent "Rise of the Cyber Wingman" article, "Our actions and activities on the network affect every other Airman and impact our ability to execute the broader Air Force missions." By taking positive steps, every Airman can help defend Air Force networks and increase combat effectiveness.



For lost and found items, call the 81st Security Forces Squadron investigations office, 377-4500, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays.

Year of the Air Force Family

Don't risk future with problem gambling

By Paula Tracy

Family advocacy outreach manager

The economy has really taken a beating lately—it seems that every day we hear about more job cuts, foreclosures or sad stories of people buckling under from the stress.

It's critical that we find effective ways to recharge our batteries. For some, casinos represent that opportunity: a chance to socialize, relax, and pleasantly pass an evening. For many people, that doesn't pose a problem—they know when to stop, and more importantly, they do stop. Some gamblers aren't so fortunate.

The National Council on Problem Gambling estimates that 1 percent of the population is considered pathological gamblesr, and another 2-3 percent are problem gamblers. What does that mean? How can we recognize if it is becoming detrimental to us?

Gambling is regarded as a "hidden addiction," meaning that the signs of a problem often go unnoticed until the gambler is in way over his or her head. Fortunately, screening tools exist to help us identify potential problems before it is too late. Consider the following:

Have you gambled until your last dollar is gone?



Have you borrowed money to finance gambling?

Have you often gambled longer than you had planned?

Have you lied about your gambling to friends or family?

Have you used your income or savings to gamble while letting bills go unpaid?

Have you made repeated attempts to stop gambling?

Have you broken the law or considered breaking the law to get money to gamble?

Have you felt depressed or suicidal because of your gambling losses?

Have you been remorseful after gambling?

Have you gambled to try to get money to meet your financial obligations?

If you or someone you know can answer "yes" to any of these questions, consider seeking assistance from a professional specifically trained in gambling issues. It's imperative to understand that problem gambling doesn't imply weak moral character, nor is it "just a bad habit".

Gambling has become a problem when it begins to disrupt the stability or quality of one's life. It can cause the gambler to lose a great deal more than just money health, career, family and future security can all be forfeited if gambling can't be controlled. Some turn to criminal activity such as fraud, extortion or theft to finance a growing compulsion. Additionally, 76 percent of pathological gamblers have been found to suffer from a major depressive disorder, which greatly increases the risk of suicide, according to the NCPG.

Families of problem gamblers suffer, as well. There's a greater likelihood of child abuse or neglect, marital breakdown, domestic violence, financial problems, or substance abuse.

Many resources exist to provide support, treatment, education, and hope. For help, call the National Council on Problem Gambling, 1-800-522-5700, or the Mississippi Gamblers Anonymous hotline, 864-0442.



Earth Day, Arbor Day events set

CSC environmental office

Keesler celebrates Earth Day and Arbor Day April 22.

Arbor Day is a national observance that encourages tree planting and care.

Earth Day is a day for the entire nation to focus on environmental issues and learn about ways to improve the environment. At Keesler, it's an annual celebration that generates enthusiasm for environmental programs that benefit the base population and local community, such as preventing pollution and recycling.

At 8:30 a.m., a tree planting ceremony at the child development center is led by Brig. Gen. Ian Dickinson, 81st Training Wing commander. The ceremony will also include Keesler's Tree City USA Award presentation for the 17th consecutive year. The award recognizes the importance and priority Keesler places on good management of its trees, along with commitment of budgetary resources.

Representatives from the Mississippi Urban Forest Council, the Harrison County Beautification Commission and the City of Biloxi will attend to make the presentation. In case of rain, the ceremony will be held at the youth center.

A booth is set up at the base exchange from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. where personnel from the CSC environmental office will distribute educational information on environmental stewardship, recycling and pollution prevention.

For more information, call 377-1262.

KEESLER NOTES

Space camp deadline

Applications must be submitted to the youth center by April 26 for Air Force Space Camp, a residential six-day program in Huntsville, Ala.

Activities include simulated space shuttle missions, training simulators, rocket building and launches, scientific experiments, and lectures on the past, present, and future of space exploration. More information is available at www.spacecamp.com.

Applicants must be 9-11 years old and a dependent of active duty military assigned to or living on an Air Force installation, retired Air Force military, Air Force civilians, Air National Guard or Air Reserve who've been activated within the last 12 months.

For more information, call Ann Smith, 377-4116.

Pamper Me Day

Pamper Me Day, a military spouse appreciation event, is 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. May 7 in the

Roberts Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Facility.

Booths, giveaways, activities and information booths are planned.

For more information, call the airman and family readiness center, 376-8728.

Summer jobs

People interested in summer jobs as lifeguards and educational aides can apply online when vacancies are announced at www.usajobs.com.

For jobs as clerks, laborers and other categories, apply directly to the civilian personnel office, Room 214, Sablich Center. Applications are accepted until June 30.

For more information, call 376-8644.

Root canal treatment

The Keesler Dental Clinic is seeking patients who require root canal treatment.

All authorized beneficiaries, including military retirees and dependents of active duty and

retired, are eligible for care.

Patients accepted for treatment are treated by either the endodontic specialty program residents or the residents in the general dentistry program.

Referral from a dentist for root canal treatment is needed.

For more information, call the endodontics department, 376-5227.

Air Force lithographs

A selection of Air Force lithographs is available in the public affairs office, Room 201-A, Wall Studio, for official use.

For more information, call 377-2783.

Missing pets

For missing pets, contact the pest management unit in Building 3907, the civil engineering compound, or call 377-3317 or 348-6370, 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. weekdays.

Supply source

The Defense Reutilization and Marketing Office is a free

source of supplies and equipment

For more information, visit the CSC supply customer service element, Room 126, Taylor Logistics Center, Building 4002; call Michael Cashion, 377-8891, or e-mail michael. cashion.2.ctr @us.af.mil.

SPORTS AND RECREATION

8 teams vie for postseason volleyball title

By Susan Griggs

Keesler News editor

Intramural volleyball playoffs are scheduled to begin next week, according to Sam Miller, intramural sports director.

The top four teams in each division compete in a double-elimination playoff, with the divisional playoff winners advancing to the championship game.

As of Friday, the contenders in the East Division are the 333rd Training Squadron (7-3), the 336th TRS-A (6-2), the 81st Dental Squadron (6-3) and the 81st TRSS (5-3).

The 333rd TRS moved in to the top spot in the standings with 2-0 victories over the 334th TRS April 5 and the 81st TRSS April 7. The 336th TRS-A, last week's leader, dropped to second place after a loss to the 81st DS, 2-0, on April 7. The 81st DS added another win April 5 with a 2-1 match over the 332nd TRS-B.

At the end of play last week, the 81st Diagnostics and Therapeutics Squadron remained the only undefeated team in the league with an 8-0 record, bolstered by 2-0 wins over the 332nd TRS-A April 6 and the 338th TRS-B April 8. The 332nd TRS-A (6-2), the 336th TRS-B (5-4) and the 81st LRS (5-5) will also be playing in the postseason tournament.

For scores and standings, see Page 20. For postseason tournament schedules, call 377-2444.



Installer Kenneth Jackson from Life Fitness, Atlanta, assembles a line of elliptical equipment Friday at Triangle Fitness Center.

Photos by Kemberly Groue

Fitness centers get new equipment

By Tech. Sgt. Greg Washburn

Keesler Public Affairs

Last week, 75 pieces of new cardio and strength equipment were installed at Blake, Dragon and Triangle Fitness Centers, according to William Jinske, Keesler's director of fitness services.

The equipment that was replaced "varied from five to 11 years old, depending on the piece," said Jinske. "The cardio equipment includes treadmills, elliptical, bikes, and steppers with electronic interfaces to customize workouts and integrated heart rate monitors.

The strength equipment includes circuit equipment, plate-loaded equipment, and free-weight equipment.

"It's 21st century, state-of-the-art, better instruction, more available fitness program options for the users," said Jinske. "It's very user-friendly.

"The good thing about the weight equipment that we got is that no matter what size or weight you are, or what gender you are, it's designed to fit all those people," Jinske explained. "You can be 6 foot 2 inches or 5 foot 2 inches, male, female, 220 pounds or 110 pounds — if you set it at the proper settings, it will work for you.

"It's important to note that we will be offering free equipment orientations on all of the new equipment at all fitness centers," he added. Individual orientations are scheduled at the front desk of each fitness center.

Jinske believes the new equipment will not only encourage more users of the facilities, but will also be a tremendous asset in supplementing what Airmen will need as they prepare for their physical training tests.

With the government investing approximately \$220,000 dollars in the new equipment, Mr. Jinske encourages all users to clean the equipment after each use to prolong the equipment's usefulness.

"We really encourage people to come over," said Jinske. "Don't be hesitant to ask for help on the equipment, because we have floor specialists and professionals on staff at all times."



Patrick McCallum from Life Fitness, Atlanta, assembles a weight bench at Triangle Fitness Center Friday.

Military Appreciation Day offers free entry to Gulf Resort Classic

By Susan Griggs

Keesler News editor

Golf enthusiasts can get a free look at top senior professional golfers at the inaugural Mississippi Gulf Resort Classic, April 28 through May 2 at Beau Rivage Resort's Fallen Oaks Golf Club on Highway 15 in Saucier.

April 30 is Military Appreciation Day April 30 with free admission for active-duty members, retired military and their dependents with valid Defense Department identification cards. A base bus will run every two hours from the Welch Auditorium and Sablich Center to the event beginning at 7:30 a.m. and ending at 5:30 p.m., or personnel can catch buses at the IP

Hotel Casino Resort starting at 7 a.m.

The Classic is one of 26 official events on the 2010 Champions Tour. The winner earns a \$240,000 check and a crystal replica of the Biloxi Lighthouse as a trophy. The tournament, which benefits the Mississippi Gulf Coast Habitat for Humanity, will be broadcast for 17½ hours on the Golf Channel.

Scores and More

Bowling

Birthday party package — 1:30-3 p.m. or 3:30-5 p.m. Saturdays. Basic party with bowling and food \$8.95 per child. Mid party, including table supply and T-shirt, \$11.95 per child. Premium party with games and a pin, \$15.95 per child. Reservations required.

Bowling fundraisers — for more information, call 377-2817.

Club member special — show current club card Thursdays and bowl for \$1.50 per game; free shoe rental.

Glow bowling — 9 p.m. Fridays and 7 p.m. Saturdays.

Lunch and bowl special — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mondays-Fridays. Bowl for \$1 a game plus \$1 for shoes.

Summer bowling leagues — Sign up now. Tuesday night double: begins May 25 for 14 weeks. Wednesday morning women's begins May 26 for 14 weeks. Wednesday night parent-child begins May 26 for 14 weeks. Thursday night PBA experience league begins May 27 for 14 weeks. Friday night mixers begins May 7 for 16 weeks.

For more information, call 377-2817.

Team building special — 1-3 p.m. Mondays-Wednesdays, 1-5 p.m. Thursdays-Fridays. Bring employees bowling for \$1 a game plus shoe rental. For reservations, call 377-2817.

Youth bowling — for any child old enough to throw the bowling ball down the alley. League meets 9:30 a.m. Saturdays; instruction available. For more information, call 377-2817.

Fitness centers

Free promotional and informational materials — available in support of National Alcohol Awareness Month and National Cancer Control Month.

New hours at Dragon Fitness Center — 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday-Thursday and training Fridays; closed non-training Fridays, weekends and holidays.

African-American Heritage Committee sickle cell 5-kilometer run/walk — April 23; 6:45 a.m. registration; 7:30 a.m. start, Blake Fitness Center, \$10-\$15. For more information, call Yolanda Jerry, 377-4632.

Blake Fitness Center — open 4:30 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. Mondaysworking Fridays; 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. compressed work schedule Fridays; 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. weekends and holidays.

Boxing room — Triangle Fitness Center. Six heavy bags, three speed bags and one double-end bag. Boxing gloves available.

Free blood pressure machines

— available at all fitness centers.

Free fitness classes — boot camp, self-defense, cycling, yoga, step aerobics, Tae Kwondo, core fitness, kick boxing and pilates at Dragon Fitness Center. For more information, call 377-2907.

Free fitness testing, exercise prescription and personal training — at Blake, Dragon and Triangle fit-

ness centers. For more information, call for appointment.

Fit to fight incentive program — Dragon slayers, dragon readers, dragon gliders and dragon riders available free at Blake, Dragon and Triangle fitness centers. Awards presented. For more information, contact the fitness centers.

Massage appointments — at Triangle Fitness Center. For more information, call 348-6698.

No smoking — on Crotwell Track across from Blake Fitness Center

Parent-child fitness room — at Dragon Fitness Center. Workout equipment; play area, ages 6 months to 7 years.

Triangle Fitness Center — open 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Mondays-working Fridays; 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. compressed work schedule Fridays and weekends; closed holidays. For more information, call 377-3056.

Golf

Intramural league —ILetters of intent due April 23, coaches' meeting 3:30 p.m. April 28 at Vandenberg Community Center. For more information call 377-2444 or 3056..

Golf lessons — \$25 for 30 minutes. For appointment, call 424-0479.

Twilight special — 2 p.m. Mondays-Thursdays; play unlimited golf until closing. Fees: E1-E4, \$12; E5-O3, \$20; O4-up, \$22; guests \$22.

Nonprior service student special — show phase or UBU card. Greens fee and cart, \$15 for 18 holes, \$10 for nine holes; add \$5 for rental clubs.

Outdoor recreation

Wolf River canoe or kayak trips — with experienced guide; 2-4 hour or 4-7 hour trips available Friday and April 30, Saturdays and Sundays. Minimum 4, maximum 20 people. To register, or for more information, call 377-3160.

Introduction to sailing class — 5:30-7:30 p.m. today, classroom instruction at the marina, Building 6734. Four hours of on-the-water training to be scheduled. Must be 16 years of age or older. For more information, call 377-3160.

Back Bay fishing trip — \$20 per person. State fishing license required; minimum four, maximum six people. For more information, call 377-3160

Catamaran sailboat for rent — \$10 per hour (minimum two hours) or \$75 per day. Must be sailboat certified.

Camping packages – available, including sleeping bags, lanterns, camp stoves and tents.

Canoes, kayaks — for rent.

Deep sea fishing private charter — rent Dolphin II, \$750 for first 10 people, \$50 each additional person. No license needed; \$100 deposit.

Deep sea fishing trips — Friday and April 30 and Sundays on the Keesler Dolphin II. \$75 per person includes everything you need to fish. Payment due upon reservation. Minimum 10, maximum 22 people.

For more information and to reserve, call 377-3160.

Delacroix, La. fishing site — Outdoor fishing/hunting camp in Delacroix, La. Rent a self-contained camper, sleeps four, \$50/night, \$125/weekend (Friday noon to Monday noon) or \$300 a week (seven days noon to noon). Bring food, beverages, cooking utensils and bedding. Louisiana license needed to fish. For more information, call 377-3160.

Keesler and Thrower Park RV storage facilities — combinations changed every month until further notice. For new combination info, call 377-3160, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. the first duty day of the month.

Marina park pavilions — to reserve, call 377-3160.

Nonprior service student special — 35000 Trek seven-speed bikes, \$5 day on nonworking Friday, Saturday and Sunday, or Saturday/Sunday.

One-day fishing trips — to Horn, Ship or Cat islands; pick date for charter trip to Delacroix and Reggio, La., with professional guide. For more information, call 377-3160.

Paddle boats for rent — twoperson or four-person for \$5 per hour for minimum of two hours. For more information, call 377-3160.

Pontoon boat training — test to become certified to rent a pontoon. For more information, call 377-3160.

Rental campers — \$50 day. Two available; one sleeps six, one sleeps eight. For more information and towing requirements, call 377-3160.

Rent a bicycle — 3500 Trek, seven speed, \$3 day, \$15 week, \$35 month.

Resale area — snacks, beverages, fishing and rental equipment, and hunting and fishing licenses.

RV, boat and trailer storage — \$20 per month.

17-foot Back Bay cruiser for rent — Mississippi boater registration card required. For more information or for prices, call 377-3160.

Wet slip fees — monthly, 32 feet-plus, \$3.75 per foot; under 32 feet, \$2.50 per foot; overnight, \$5 per boat.

Softball

Intramural league —ILetters of intent due April 23, coaches' meeting 3:30 p.m. April 28 at Vandenberg Community Center. For more information call 377-2444 or 3056..

Volleyball

Intramural league

East

(As of Friday)		
Team	Won	Lost
333rd TRS	7	3
336th TRS-A	6	2
81st DS	6	3
81st TRSS	5	3
338th TRS-A	5	5
81st IPTS	4	5
334th TRS	2	7
332nd TRS-B	1	8

April 5 — 81st DS over 332nd TRS-B, 2-1; 333rd TRS over 334th TRS, 2-0; 81st IPTS over 338th TRS-A, 2-0.

April 7 — 81st DS over 336th TRS-A, 2-0; 338th TRS-A over 332nd TRS-B, 2-0; 333rd TRS over 81st TRSS, 2-0.

West

(As of Friday)

Team	Won	Lost
81st MDTS	8	0
332nd TRS-A	6	2
336th TRS-B	5	4
81st LRS	5	5
81st FSS-CPTS	4	5
338th TRS-B	4	5
81st SFS	2	7
335th TRS	2	8

April 6 — 81st LRS over 81st FSS-CPTS, 2-0; 338th TRS-B over 81st SFS, 2-0; 81st MDTS over 332nd TRS-A, 2-0.

April 8 — 336th TRS-B over 81st SFS, 2-0; 81st MDTS over 338th TRS-B, 2-0; 81st LRS over 332nd TRS-A, 2-0.

For information on youth sports, call 377-4116.

DIGEST

Honors

Quarterly awards, January-March

81st Training Wing staff agencies

Airman — Senior Airman Thomas Butler, 81st Comptroller Squadron.

Noncommissioned officer — Tech. Sgt. Lana Pray, 81st CPTS. Senior NCO — Master Sgt. Stephen Carter, 81st Operations Support Flight.

Company grade officer — Capt. Virginia Mack, legal office.

Civilian Category I — Parlee Barrow, 81st CPTS.

Civilian Category II — Darrin McClure, wing plans.

Civilian supervisor Category I — Darren White, 81st CPTS.

Student honor roll

332nd Training Squadron

Electronic principles — Airmen Basic Andrew Aegerter, Charity Alexander, William Amarillo, Jacob Barton, Tyler Bender, Richard Blauch, Thomas Bradley, Timothy Brady, Kayla Bresnan, Samuel Brown, Justin Burgos, Devin Butler, Elliot Butler, Everettxavier Campbell, Kevin Carmody, Alexis Cavin, Daniel Cimon, Eric Cohen, Bertrand Copeland, David Costello, Benjamin Crawley, Devin Cross, Sean Davis, Chad Demore, Christoher Dewitt, Bradley Douglas, David Dubuque, Evan Dwarshuis, Jonathan Dycks, Jarrod Eckert, Michael Ferrero, Gail Flowers, Jonathan Fanstill, Joaquin Garcia, Francis Goodwin, Andrew Gossman, Kevin Gury, Felicia Hamilton, Clinton Heckerman, Cody Hill, Andrew Hoffman, Alicia Hollis, Patrick Halvorson, James Houston, Eric Jayne, Alexandria Kerr, Christopher King, Timothy Knight, Devin Krozek, Gabriel Lanthier, Christopher Legler, Thomas Lilly, Mackenzie Mafarland, Quinton Maldonado, Benjamin McCloud, David McDonald, Conor Melendez, Zachary Mohr, Daniel Pahlke, Julian Palmer, Brandy Pass, Jonathan Peter, Darlin Pierre, John Ricketts, Stephanie Rosier, Derk Roy, Braeden Sheets, Sida Thach, Dean Thorpe, Charles Tvedt, William Wall, Daniel Ward, Darren Watts and Michael Wortham; Airmen Eric Aguiniga, James Dixon, Ryan Gray, Spencer Gilbreath, John Grillo, Nathaniel Harris, Alexander Haskins, Matthew Johnson, Joshua Lail, Phillip Lindley, Destin Maulding, Thomas Moore, Matthew Shirk, Joseph Soukup, James Thomas, Jason Whipps and Thomas White; Airmen First Class Zachary Ayers, Charles Bienia, Sarah Berrie, Zachary Blenka, William Brosius, Miranda Browne, Jennifer Bryan, Nathaniel Burke, Joshua Calhoun, Aaron Centers, Daniel Chandler, Carolina Choi, Preston Cline, Ian Crocker, James Crowder, Robert Cyr, Justin Deel, Elionel Diaz, Eric Dungan, Alan Edwards, Mitchell Emrick, John Ensley, Ryan Essenmacher, Porsha Evans, Brandon Faust, Jordan Felicia, Joseph Ferguson, Weston Fischer, Patrick Fleming, Jacob Fohr, Juan Garcia, Andrew Gasske, Kenneth Gelins, Jacob Habsen, Steven Harris, Jason Holbrook, Bobby Holness, Bryan Horvath, Wyatt Ingram, Aaron Jackson, Teresa Jacobson, Kevin Jahr, Joshua Kujawa, Donald Kraft, Thomas Lawson, Andrew Luiten, Dennis Manisap, David Maranto, Quynhanh Martin, Brad Momohara, Edward Moran, Jules Morgenstern, Ryan Morton, Lucas Oerter, Liz Ortiz, Robert Padmos, Anthony Parker, Lauren Pena, Gregory Perusse, Joseph Rawl, Ryan Reynolds, Michael Rice, Dylan Rickaby, Matthew Roadfeldt, Courtney Rynne, Paul Schoenfelder, Robert Shall, Sheleatha Simmons, Anthony Sitzler, Arion Stahlhut, James Stewart, Stacia Taylor, Andrew Tellefsen, Andrew Thorson, Benny Vickrey, Matthew Waite, Barry Welborn, Michael Wence, Jameson Williams, Derrick Young and Brandon Zarbo; Senior Airmen Hamdan AlBalushi, Edward Bell, Christopher Fomby, Steven Friedman, Sandra Guija, Jason Hester, Jason Hooper, John Kyzer, Silas Lasater, Edgar Menendez, Jason Park, Jonathan Phenis, Arnaldo Sanes and Robert Wyatt; Saff Sgts. Chad Agbayani, Grant Apgar, David Bauld, Randy Black, Eddie Cameron, Meredith Cullar, Jeffrey Garner, Aaron Goroski, Matthew Hamlin, Daniel Hanson, Randall Lionberger, Herbert McGouirk, Matthew Odom, Felioe Ortega, Robert Powell, Stacey Roberts, Robert Upton, Brian Wiechec, Richard Wysong and Edwin Young; Tech. Sgts. William Burrows, John Carvalho, Gary Hargis, Daniel Lord, Misty Nelson, Nelson Reaser, Jon Schmitz, Benjamin Scott and John Smith; Master Sgts. Justin Christman, Francisco Martin and James Nance; Chief Master Sgt. Majed Abdulrahman Alghamdi; Debra Hatter.

Metrology basic course — Airmen Nicholas Eddy and Steven Virbitsky; Airmen 1st Class Steven La Rue and Edward Middleton.

334th TRS

Air traffic control operations training flight — Airmen Basic Jamal Brathwaite, James Chamberlain, Anthony Klesser, Jessica Navarro, Jacob McPhie, Arron Plouride, Richard Rice, Matthew Simpson, Richard Spalding, Phllip Suazo, Juan Rodriguez and Kyle Willis; Airmen Tiheisha Bolles, Tiffany Degracia, Justin Faircloth, Kevin Krippner and Willie Pruitt; Airmen 1st Class Alex Arnold, Ashely Barth, Jon Copeland, Byran Coppens, Kyle Dean, Zachary Craven, Stephanie Hales, Steven Hicks, Caleb Howell, Adam Karre, James Langley, Matthew Lutrick, Seth McLagen, Christopher Mize, Jered Records, Mark Reposar, Ryan Nizamuldin, Timothy Walker and Calvin Winfield; Senior Airmen Brett Collins, Keith Janda, Millard Morgan and Luis Valencia; Staff Sgts. Jason Gooch, Michael Henderson, Joshua Parman.

335th TRS

Comptroller training flight — Airmen Basic Brett Mayo, Michelle Anthony, Steve Pearson, Donavin Van Ee, Danielle Harkins and Nicholas Fisher; Airman Erinn Harper, Jonathan Mook, Deloucous Tate and Victor Olubiyi; Airmen 1st Class Lawrence Gilchrist, Melinda Smith, Tyler Anderson, Umid Khikmatov Brandon Couch, Khayriyyah Simmons, Reginald Diaz, Jamie Johnston, and Antawn Knight; Senior Airmen Bradley Gauvin, Jessica Hutcherson and Megan Hayward; Staff Sgts. Michael Rittner, Douglas Carlson, Jennifer Evans, Phillip Smith and Carlos Soriano; Tech. Sgt. Samantha Murphy; Master Sgt. James Ekren; Senior Master Sgt. Danielle Shepherd.

Weather training flight — Airmen Basic Dick Curry, Alyssa Daffer, Daniel Davidge, Drew Davies, David Fair, Wallace Glenn III, Anthony Liotino, Michael Niedzweicki, Tony Oakley, Abby Reinhard, Matthew Vandermus and Michael West; Pfc. Joachim Nevarez; Airmen Courtney DoMoe, Daniel

CHAPEL SERVICES

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-2520.

Protestant

Sunday worship — Combined service at 10:30 a.m. at Triangle Chapel. For more information, see Page 12.

Roman Catholic

Jewish services are held Fridays at 8 p.m. at the Congregation Beth Israel, 12277 Three Rivers Rd., Gulfport. Call Master Sgt. Michael Raff, 377-5835 or 207-2196.

Islamic

Prayer five times daily; Salaat ul-Jummah congregational prayer, noon Friday. Building 2003, across from the Live Oak dining facility. Call 377-2520 or 0327.

Latter-Day Saints

Sacrament, 2 p.m. Sundays; scripture and prayer, 7 p.m. Tuesdays, family home evening, 7 p.m. Fridays; all at Triangle Chapel. For more information, call 1-919-580-8679.

Orthodox

Divine Liturgy 10 a.m. Sunday at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church, 255 Beauvoir Rd, Biloxi. Call 388-6138 or Father Stephen Clos, 377-4105.

Johnson, Steven Narad, Robert Parrillo and Taylor Riggan; Airmen 1st Class Logan Davis, Jared Elswick, Jonathan Furniss, Michael Higgins, Jacob Laas, Mariska Weaver and Jonathan Young; Staff Sgt. Jorge Arellano, Justin Guerra, John Hatfield and Christopher Koonce.

336th TRS

Communications and information flight —Airman Basic Jamaal Haley; Airmen 1st Class Michael Housler, Stephen Morin and Brooke Morin; Senior Airman Brian Cox.

Communications-computer flight — Airmen Basic Marcel Boykin, Roxana Christensen, Mranth Dabbs, Mariah Dice, Joshua Edwards, Zachary Ellis, Tiffany Fogel, Keith Gardner, Jr., Kristen Helmuth, Jordan Kamppi, Elsie Keck, Michael Kelley, Grace Lindsay, Cody Moses Brian Mundorff, Devon Phillips Gregory Roberts, Christopher Simmons and Matthew Williams; Airmen Jana Boudreaux, Mavis Jones, Scott Posey and Matthew Schueder; Airmen 1st Class David Arriola, Tammy Barco, Amber Barich, David Brisco, Amanda Burnell, Joseph Cline, Hunter Futch, Ryan Heinrich, Willie Johnson, Brian Kumpf, Norman Kyle, Rachel Lucas, Jonathan Matos, Gary Randolph, Drew Sigafoose, Rex Thompson and Jeremy Tucker; Senior Airmen Jacqueline Arron, Shirley Hunsiker, Matthew Leecy and Levi Carter; Staff Sgts. Victor Cazun, Stacia Chappell, Kelly Coyne, Aleece Faivre, Melinda Ingvarsson, John Kritzer, Megan Mace, Freida Oluwadare, Ronesia Smith and Christopher Sonesen; Tech. Sgts. James Fehr, Tammy Hickerson, Carolyn Koblek, Kristin McGeorge, Heather Prather and Adrianne Wilson; Master Sgts. Dana Gunter, Jake Claxton and Carolina Valdovinos.

338th TRS

Airfield systems — Airmen 1st Class Steven Massie, Christopher Reagan, Nathaniel Stabley, and Justin Walsh; Staff Sgt. Jessie Morgan.

Cyber transport systems — Airman Michael Busby; Airmen 1st Class Christopher Brown, Cassidy Cervenka, Alexander Chase, Christopher Miller, Jeremy Tharp, and Derrick Wyatt; Senior Airman Raymond Pouech; Staff Sgts. Timothy Domka and Troy Pierson.

Ground radar systems — Airmen Basic Joshua Aikins, Timothy Cote, Trent Deason, Bryan Dotson, Charles Fletcher, Edward Lomelin, Bryan May, Matthew McCoy, Ronald McKeown, Derek Patterson, Clarence Thompson, Johnathan Wright, and Robert Yeakley; Airmen Tyler Bellamy, Damon Bitter, Preston Clipper, Carl Free, Matthew Geffert, Jonathan Hess, Karl McCoy, Luis Permont, and Benjamin Tress; Airmen 1st Class Adrian Acosta, Daniel Berger, Joshua Betts, David Cannon, John Coleman, Bradley Combs, Michael Denherder, Matthew Freeman, Brian Hadfield, Aaron Kwilas, Matthew Livingston, Mao Meas, Andrew Nelson, Benjaming Plumley, Christopher Rupert, Timothy Schonfeld, Rebecca Sims, Brent Stewart, David Stout, Floyd Stupka, Natalie Wardwell, and Erica Zerbe; Senior Airmen Ryan Covert and Laurence Dolan; Staff Sgts. Israel Parkinson, Bryan Stamps, Jose Torres, and Alexander Tressler.

CLASSES

Airman Leadership School

Class 10-4 — graduates May 13.

Mathies NCO Academy

Class 10-4 — graduates May 20

Arts and crafts center

Advanced intarsia woodworking — 10 a.m. to noon April 24; \$20 including materials. Intarsia is the art of piecing wood in a decorative pattern.

Beginning intarsia woodworking — 10 a.m. to noon Saturday; \$15 including materials. Intarsia is the art of piecing wood in a decorative pattern.

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Beginning woodworking — 5-7 p.m. Wednesdays; \$25, including materials to make a cutting board. This class will certify you to use the equipment in the future.

Čard making — 5:30-7 p.m. today; \$7 per person.

Engraving shop — squadron, office and individual orders. Glass painting — 10:30 a.m. to noon Saturday and April 24;

\$25, including a completed painted project.

Jewelry making — 10:30 a.m. to noon, April 24; \$30, including materials. Learn wire wrapping and tooling.

Pottery — 10:30 a.m. to noon Saturday; \$40.

Multi-crafts center — potter's wheels, ceramic molds, air brushing and tools available for use in the shop. Craft classes for beginners, intermediate and advanced. Craft supplies for sale.

Scrapbooking — 5:30-7 p.m. April 22; \$20 including mate-

Wood shop — stocked retail lumber and large assembly area adjacent to machine room available. Call for class information.

Chapel

All classes are held at the Triangle Chapel Annex. For more information, call 377-2520.

Catholic religious education — after 9 a.m. Sunday Mass. **Protestant Sunday School** — 10:30-11:30 a.m. for preschool, elementary, teens and adults.

Men's prayer breakfast — 9 a.m. to noon second Saturday

Women's prayer breakfast — 10 a.m. to noon first Saturday of the month.

Dinner and the Bible — 6-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Triangle

Ġrief Share support group — meets 6:30 p.m. second Thursday of each month, Triangle Chapel Annex. One-on-one and group support available for people experiencing difficult relationships or work situations, loss of a loved one or job, divorce, health issues and grief. For more information, call Chaplain (Capt.) Garrell Calton, 376-3095 or Glenda Woodard or Delphine McIntyre, 377-2531.

81st Medical Group

Mental health clinic

The mental health clinic promotes readiness, health and wellness through prevention and treatment. For more information or to make an appointment, call the mental health clinic in Arnold Annex, 376-0385 or 0386, or the Triangle Mental Health Clinic, 377-7015 or 7016.

McBride Library

After-tax party — 6-7:30 p.m. today. De-stress with a good book, watch scary movies, enjoy popcorn, movie candy and other special refreshments. Register to win a gift basket.

Art on display — through April 30. Individuals bring in samples of their art or crafts to be displayed at the library. Items judged the first week of May. Categories: ages 7-under; 8-12, 13-17 and 18-older. Ribbons awarded to first-, second- and third-place winners in each category. All items on display throughout May.

Chief of Staff professional military reading list — titles available for checkout from the special book collection.

Children's library skills program — 11 am. Fridays for families with home-schooled children. Learn library skills and enjoy stories.

Free computer classes — Wednesdays through May 5. Ultra beginners 9:30-11 a.m.; not-so-ultra beginners 3:30-4:45 p.m. Preregistration required. For information, call 377-2181.

Get healthy at your library — 1 p.m. Friday; nutrition presentation for children in the morning, adults in the evening. For times, call 377-2181.

Playaway — self-playing digital audio books available with content preloaded; select from large assortment of titles. Pop in a battery, plug in almost any type of headset and enjoy.

Overdrive audio online book program — individual or family accounts allow download/playing of full-length audio books on a personal computer. Check with staff for details.

Quilting class — Two sessions, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday and April 24, ages 14 and older. Today is registration deadline. Free instruction. Participants supply own materials. Call 377-2604 for information.

Rosetta Stone online language learning center — 30 for-

eign languages, including Spanish. For more information, check with the library staff.

Story time — 10 a.m. Wednesdays for ages 3-5. Stories will be read aloud and told in sign language.

Tours/orientations — for more information, call 377-2604. **Youth photography contest** — with focus on the family. Entries accepted through April 23. Two categories: ages 10-13 and 14-16. First-place winners in each category receive a \$50 savings bond, second-place winners receive a \$25 savings bond.

Clubs and Centers

Family child care

Air Force Aid programs — the family child care program assists the Air Force Aid Society with volunteer and permanentchange-of-station child care programs. AFAS pays for child care for volunteers working on base and 20 hours of child care for E6 and below who are PCSing in and out of the base. For eligibility and more information, call the airman and family readiness cen-

Returning home care — for children ages 12-under. Up to 16 hours of care per child, per six-month period, is available to active duty members and Air National Guard and Air Force Reserve members returning to home stations after deployments of a minimum of 30 calendar days in support of a contingency operation, and members returning for a two-week rest and recovery leave. For more information, call 377-3189.

Be your own boss — Military spouses on and off base are needed who wish to care for children in their homes. Providers also needed to care for children with special needs, including asthma, allergies, cerebral palsy and other physical impairments, and to work swing and evening shifts. For more information, call 377-3189.

Expanded duty care, child care for PCS and returning home **child care** — is available. For information, call 377-3189.

Katrina Kantina

All ranks invited — open 3:30 p.m. Tuesdays-Fridays. Snacks, beverages and music; \$5.25, chips and salsa, DJ Wayne and his karaoke machine.

Catering — experts can assist with planning weddings, holidays, birthdays, official functions and other special occasions.

Chili special — 5-7 p.m. Tuesdays; \$1 a bowl members, \$1.50 nonmembers...

Lunch — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mondays; \$6 for members, \$8 for nonmembers.

Wings and things — 5-7 p.m. April 28. Free for Keesler club members; nonmembers \$3 at door. Complimentary hors d'oeuvres and \$1 domestic draft beer.

Vandenberg Community Center

Editor's note: All events but dances open to all Keesler personnel.

Dances — 7:30 p.m. to midnight Thursdays before compressed work schedule Fridays, and Fridays and Saturdays. \$3.

Legends Café — buffet specials 11 a.m.-1 p.m. **Pool tournaments** — 7 p.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Spring break party — 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Friday. DJ, giveaways. \$3 per person. Food and beverage specials available.

Youth center

Editor's note: All children registered in a youth center program receive free membership.

Child Pride Day — 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 24 in marina park. Free games, inflatables, boat rides, kids fishing rode, teen zone, entertainment, educational displays, food, giveaways, prizes and "Keesler Family Talent Showcase."

Classes — Guitar, piano and gymnastic classes available. For more information, call 377-4116.

Congressional Award program — ages 14-21; self-directed merit program promoting personal development, physical fitness and community involvement.

Friday night fun — 6:30-9:30 p.m. for ages 6-12. Skating, music, games and more; \$5 admission.

Open recreation — 3-5:45 p.m. Mondays-Fridays for ages 9-12; teens 3-7 p.m. Mondays-Thursdays and 3-6 p.m. Fridays. Computer media center, homework assistance "Power Hour" program and triple-play sports and recreation activities. Students sign themselves in at front desk.

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DINING HALL MENUS

Today

Lunch — pork chops, gravy, braised liver with onions, fried fish, rissole potatoes, rice, gravy, broccoli, peas and carrots, corn, fruit salad, potato salad, cream of broccoli soup, chili, bean and ham soup, buffalo wings and roast beef subs.

Dinner — baked chicken, pepper steak, pasta primavera, mashed potatoes, rice, gravy, vegetables, okra, green beans, potato salad, fruit salad, chili, broccoli soup, bean and ham soup, buffalo wings and roast beef subs.

Friday

Lunch — shrimp scampi, beef stew, roast turkey, franconia potatoes, pea and pepper rice, gravy, corn on the cob, stewed tomatoes, collard greens, three-bean salad, chile con queso, Tuscan vegetables, chicken noodle, barbecue pork sandwich and burritos.

Dinner — chili macaroni, barbecue chicken, fried catfish, potato wedges, Spanish rice, gravy, fried cabbage, carrots, broccoli, pasta salad, three-bean salad, chile con queso, Tuscan vegetables, chicken noodle soup, barbecue pork sandwich and bur-

Saturday

Lunch — baked chicken, Swedish meatballs, creole shrimp, mashed potatoes, rice, gravy, corn, asparagus, squash, fruit salad, kidney bean salad, chicken chili, minestrone soup, baja chicken enchilada and chicken nuggets.

Dinner — baked fish, knockwurst, Chinese five-spice chicken, potatoes, rice, gravy, stir-fry vegetables, baked beans, creamed corn, spinach, fruit salad, bean salad, chicken chili, minestrone soup, baja chicken enchilada and chicken nuggets.

Sunday

Lunch — oven fried fish, barbecue ribs, chicken parmesan, baked macaroni and cheese, O'Brien potatoes, gravy, peas, sweet potatoes, broccoli combo, German cole slaw, country tomato salad, chili, broccoli soup, chicken with rice and cheese

Dinner — stir-fry beef with broccoli, turkey nuggets, orange- and honey-glazed ham, sauteed mushrooms and onions, baked potatoes, rice pilaf, gravy, corn on the cob, green beans, .country tomato salad, chili, broccoli soup, chicken with rice and cheese pizza.

Monday

Lunch — beef pot roast, baked stuffed fish, roast pork loin, potatoes, rice, gravy, cauliflower combo, succotash, green beans, cucumber onion salad, macaroni salad, chili con queso, Tuscan vegetable, cheeseburger chowder, sausage and steak and cheese subs.

Dinner — spaghetti with meat sauce, loin strip steak, turkey, baked potatoes, pea and pepper rice, gravy, squash, carrots, broccoli, sauteed mushrooms and onions, cucumber onion salad, macaroni salad, chili con queso, Tuscan vegetable, cheeseburger chowder, sausage and steak and cheese subs.

Tuesday

Lunch — teriyaki chicken, veal parmesan, baked fish, rice, parsley buttered potatoes, gravy, cabbage, succotash, carrots, macaroni salad, cottage cheese salad, timberline chili, minestrone soup, baja chicken enchilada, sloppy joes and roast beef

Dinner — country captain chicken, meatloaf, turkey a la king, rice, mashed potatoes, gravy, tempura vegetables, mustard greens, okra tomato gumbo, macaroni salad, cottage cheese salad, timberline chili, minestrone soup, baja chicken enchilada, sloppy joes and roast beef subs.

Wednesday

Lunch — lasagna, garlic toast, spaghetti with meat sauce, chicken cacciatore, egg noodles, baked potatoes, Italian baked beans, green beans, marinara sauce, squash, Mexican cole slaw, frijole salad, white bean chicken chili, clam chowder, chicken gumbo, cheese fishwich and pizza.

Dinner — lemon-herb chicken, pork chalupa, jambalaya, scalloped potatoes, rice, gravy, caulinflower combo, Mexican corn, broccoli, Mexican cole slaw, frijole salad, white bean chicken chili, clam chowder, chicken gumbo, cheese fishwich and pizza.

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Soccer registration — through Friday for ages 4-14; \$50 first child, \$25 each additional child, including uniform and participation award. Scrimmage games Saturday; first official game April 24. Season runs through June 5. Coming June 7-11, British soccer challenger sports camp. For more information, call 377-4116.

Summer camp registration — begins April 19 for school aged and teens. For more information, call 377-4116.

Tae Kwon Do class — 5:30-6:15 p.m. Wednesdays and 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Saturdays. For more information, call 377-4116.

TRAIL — 6-8 p.m. Mondays.

Youth employment service — earn money for college tuition. For more information, call 377-4116.

Youth soccer — Registrations accepted through April 17 for ages 3-14. For information, call 377-4116. Coaches needed.

Volunteers needed — for sports, open recreation, crafts, cooking, computers, arts, reading, sewing and general cleaning and decorations. Must be 18 or older. For more information, call 377-4116.

TICKETS AND TRIPS

Discounted tickets — for more information, log on to http://www. keeslerservices.us and click on the ITT link.

Information on area and out-of-state attractions — free brochures for Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Florida and Georgia.

Tour bus — available for group rental, seats 23.

TRANSITIONS

Workshops, briefings

Air Force Reserve opportunities — for members separating within 180 days, call Master Sgt. Charlene Morse, 377-7116; e-mail

charlene.morse@keesler.af.mil or visit Room 125-F, Sablich Center.

Congressionally-mandated pre-separation briefings — counseling by airman and family readiness center for active-duty military members of any branch of service who'll receive honorable discharges and no extra transition benefits. Briefings are 1 p.m. Tuesdays in Room 111, Sablich Center, for those separating and 2:30 p.m. for those retiring. If separating or retiring under special circumstances, call 376-8728 for appointment.

Palace Chase — for information about how to apply for a program to attend college full time and work part time, call Master Sgt. Charlene Morse, 377-7116; visit Room 125-F, Sablich Center, or e-mail charlene.morse@ keesler.af.mil.

Transition assistance program — The Department of Labor's program is from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. the first three days; the fourth day is the Veterans Affairs benefits brief from 8-11 a.m. and the retirement benefits briefs from 1-4 p.m. The schedule is May 10-13; June 14-17; July 19-20; Aug. 9-12; Sept. 13-16; Oct. 18-21; Nov. 15-18; and Dec. 13-16. To register, call 376-8728.

MEETINGS

African-American Heritage Committee — 3:30 p.m. second Tuesday of the month, Room 109, Taylor Logistics Building. For more information, call Tech. Sgt. Yolanda Jerry, 377-2157, or Kurt Higgins, 377-5250.

Air Force Sergeants Association Chapter 652 — 7 a.m. third Tuesday of the month, Live Oak Dining Facility. For more information, call Tech. Sgt. Rich Striggow, 377-4800, or visit http://chapter.afsa652.org/.

Air Force Sergeants Association Auxiliary — 6 p.m. third Tuesday of the month. For more information, call Michelle Foster, 273-4591, or e-mail auxiliary.president @afsa652.org.

Airman's Council — meets every first and third Tuesday at 4 p.m., Sablich Auditorium. For more information, call Senior Airman Alonda West, 377-2994.

Airmen Against Drunk Driving — For more information, call Airman 1st Class Mackenzie Jackson, 377-5511; Senior Airman Rose Mabe, 377-2331, or 377-SAVE.

Asian Pacific-American Heritage Committee — 11:30 a.m. first Wednesday of month, Room 111, Sablich Center. For more information, call Lucy Belles, 376-8500, or Master Sgt. Ernesto Alvendia, 376-8501.

At Eze Toastmasters Club — 11 a.m. Tuesdays, Building 1101

conference room. For more information, call Dewi Clark, 377-2714, or e-mail dewi.clark@us.af.mil; Arleen Stewart, 377-2440, or visit http://www.toastmasters.org.

Blacks in Government — 5:15 p.m. second Thursday of the month, Taylor Logistics Building conference room. For more information, call Florence Clay, 377-8681, or Paulette Powell, 377-2270.

Civil Air Patrol Col. Berta A. Edge Composite Squadron — 7 p.m. Tuesdays upstairs in Hangar 3 for youth and adults. For more information, call (601) 528-4337 or visit http://www.keeslercap.org.

Company grade officers council — 4:30 p.m. every second Wednesday at the Katrina Kantina at the marina. For more information, call Capt. Jermaine Jordan, 377-1704.

Keesler 5.6 — 3:15 p.m. third Wednesday of the month; location varies. For more information, call Tech. Sgt. Kimberly Sturdivant, 377-1813.

Keesler Amateur Radio Club — Net with news-line and echolink is held Wednesdays on 146.79, minus offset, no PL tone. Monthly meeting is 7 p.m. second Mondays at Locker House. Enter courtyard near Second Street. Enter door marked "T flight" and go straight ahead to sign saying "K5TYP."

Keesler Spouses Club — second Tuesdays. For more information, e-mail Devalynn Solomon, deesolomon@ cableone.net, or visit http://www.KeeslerSpousesClub.com.

Retired Enlisted Association Magnolia Chapter 81 — 5:30 p.m. second Thursdays, Sablich Center, Room 108-B. For more information, call Charles Partin, 313-3267.

Top III — second Tuesday of the month. Meetings are 7 a.m. at Live Oak Dining Facility in January, March, May, July, September and November; 3:30 p.m. remaining months at Katrina Kantina. For more information, call Master Sgt. Tammy McElroy, 376-3164.

Tuskegee Airmen Inc., Col. Lawrence E. Roberts Chapter — 5 p.m. first Thursdays, McBride Library. For more information, call Glenda Mosby, 243-1992, gmosby1@bellsouth.net, or Charles Bowers, 860-3665.

MISCELLANEOUS

Movies

Editor's note: Movies shown in Welch Auditorium; \$3 adults, \$1.50 children for regular features; \$2.50 adults and \$1 children for matinees. For upcoming features, call 377-6627.